



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held every Tuesday from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm in the church. All are welcome at any time to pray and be with Jesus. **Sunday Holy Hour:** Deacon Gary and Fr. Chuck lead a Holy Hour on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month at 3:00 pm. This is an opportunity to spend time with Jesus. Adoration also takes place during this time. You may stop in for any length of time that works for you. The hour closes with Benediction. Bring a friend and spend time with your friend Jesus!



People deserve pain management, not assisted suicide

Minnesota has excellent, moder palliative care programs to alleviate suffering – no one’s pain should be unmanageable in our state. Hospice care is paid for by Medicare, Medicaid, and private insurance. Minnesotans deserve the best in pain management and quality care, not suicide drugs. Tell your legislators: NO assisted suicide. Visit mncatholic.org/pas



Tim & Denise Eggebraaten Invite You to Celebrate the Release of Tim's book:

FIND YOUR BEAT
WALK IN THE RHYTHM OF LIFE

“We are celebrating the release of my first book! Saturday, April 6th, 2024 from 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM at the beautiful Midwest Bank Ballroom in the Historic Holmes Theatre. We'll have musical entertainment, coffee, treats, books, challenge coins, friends, family, and hopefully YOU!” ~ Tim & Denise



Knights of Columbus
Pancake/French
Toast
Breakfast

Sunday, April 7th
8:00am-12:30pm
in the Parish Center.


The Holy Father’s Prayer Intention
For new martyrs. We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

Remember those who have asked for our prayers.

Henry Heffern, John Vaida, Doug Wanzek. When adding someone to the prayer list please ask for their permission to do so, and then contact the parish office. Names are left on the prayer list for four weeks.

Contact Us!	Diocesan Annual Appeal	Stewardship	Mass Attendance 3/23- 3/24
Website: www.holyrosarycc.org	Current Donations: \$54,454	Last Week: \$10,897	Saturday 5:00 pm - 259
E-mail: jheim@holyrosarycc.org	Annual Goal: \$70,907	This Year to Date: \$717,045	Sunday 9:00 am - 333
YouTube: Holy Rosary Catholic Church DL MN	As of March 18th, 2024.	Last Fiscal Year: \$765,205	Sunday 11:00 am - 237

Parish Staff	Trustees and Councils
Priest: Father Chuck Huck	Trustees: Debbie Carlson, Tom Lundberg
Deacon: Deacon Gary Hager	Finance Council: Tom Lundberg, Ed Geffre, Lori Lehmann
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Stewardship/Spiritual Direction: Jamie McDougall	School Council: Aron Badurek, Tony Schmitz, Ronica Wahl, Janalee Wyckoff,
Maintenance: Charles Vareberg & Tony Dafoe	Katie Watland, Erica Zurn, Amber Blair, Lori Guenther, Bill Wilke
Faith Formation: Kathy Olson and Abby Jasken	

 To report sexual misconduct on the part of a priest, deacon, or individual representing the Diocese of Crookston, its parishes, or its schools, call your local law enforcement, then contact the diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at 218-281-7895. Help is available 24-hours a day and all calls are confidential.



Holy Rosary Catholic Church

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Office Hours: Mon-Thurs 8am-5pm

Friday 8am-2pm

March 31st, 2024

Easter Sunday The Resurrection of the Lord

A Letter from Father Chuck Huck

Easter Greetings,

Alleluia! Jesus has risen! Alleluia!

Alleluia! It is time to use the “A” word. The challenge is to use it for the next 8 days. In the stores, on the street, at home. We now work to keep the accomplishments of our Lenten journey alive through our celebration of Pentecost in 50 days...

Alleluia! We are talented and giving people. I am filled with great appreciation for the many gifts God has given the members of our parish community: musicians, singers, lectors, ushers, gift-bearers, adorers, servers, Eucharistic Ministers, sacristans, art and environment. Your willingness to serve others in the various liturgical roles is an example of a Christian community in action. We become just like the communities of prayer mentioned in the Acts of the Apostles. Thank you for your attendance and assistance in bringing Gods work to life through full and active participation.

Alleluia! Divine Mercy Sunday is next weekend. Reconciliation, Prayer, and Adoration are part of the celebration. Please join in the celebration. Plenary Indulgences are available.

Alleluia! We share weekly in the reception of Holy Communion. Soon our youth will celebrate their First Holy Communion and Confirmation. Keep them in prayer.

Alleluia! We celebrate the 6 individuals who joined us in full communion this Easter Vigil. This Easter prayer card says it so well: **May you always be: a mind through which Christ thinks; a heart through which Christ loves; a voice through which Christ speaks; a hand through which Christ helps.**

Alleluia! How do you celebrate Easter with no Mass? I found this story very moving:

The Communion of Empty hands

Eduardo Galeano

Though he was an atheist, the Uruguayan writer Eduardo Galeano (1940-2015) knew several pastors and lay Christians who were imprisoned by his country’s authoritarian government in the 1970’s and ‘80s. This story is based on their accounts.

Nineteen seventy-three. Montevideo, Ninth Cavalry barracks. A rotten night. Roar of trucks and machine-gun fire, prisoners facedown on the floor, hands behind their heads, a gun at every back shouts, kicks, rifle blows, threats...

In the morning , one of the prisoners who hadn’t yet lost track of the calendar recalled, “Today is Easter Sunday.”

Gatherings were not allowed.

But they pulled it off. In the middle of the yard, they came together.

The non-Christians helped. Several of them kept an eye on the barred gates and an ear out for the guards’ footsteps. Others walked about, forming a human ring around the celebrants.

Miguel Brun whispered a few words. He evoked the resurrection of Jesus, which promised redemption for all captives. Jesus had been persecuted, jailed, tormented, and murdered, but one Sunday, a Sunday like this one, he made the walls creak and crumble so there would be freedom in every prison and company in every solitude.

The prisoners had nothing. No bread, no wine, not even cups. It was a communion of empty hands.

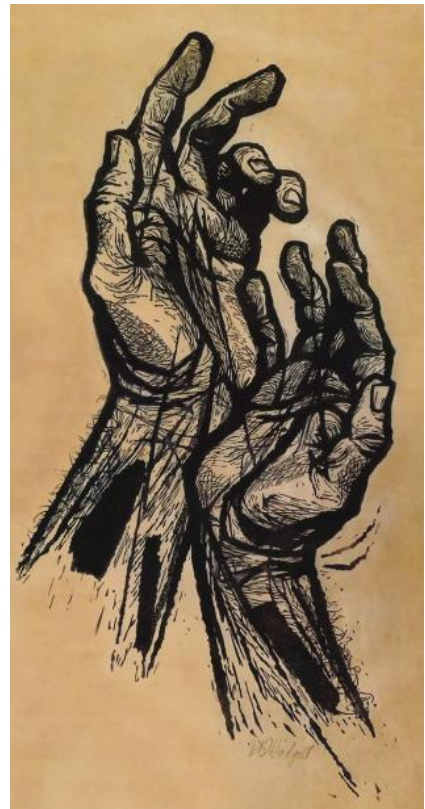
Miguel made an offering to the one who had offered himself. “Eat,” he whispered. “This is his body.”

And the Christians raised their hands to their lips and ate the invisible bread.

“Drink. This is his blood.”

And they raised the nonexistent cup and drank the invisible wine.

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“Think of what is above, not of what is on earth.”- COLOSSIANS 3:2



On this day we thank God for His Son, Jesus, who died, rose and opened the gates of heaven for us. We celebrate and sing “Alleluia.” Let’s try to keep the joy of this Easter season in our hearts throughout the year! Pray daily and listen for how God is calling each of us to joyfully use our gifts to fulfill His salvation plan.

Holy Rosary School Mission Statement

Holy Rosary School Community is rooted in the Word and energized with the Spirit of Jesus Christ. We cultivate our community to live as Jesus taught within the Catholic Tradition. We strive to build Gospel Values and promote Academic Excellence.

Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic faith? OCIA is what you need. Please join us for our next meeting! Class is held in the Holy Family Room on the 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:45pm. Our next class is Thursday, **April 18th**. The topic will be: Saints/Solemnity, patron saints, saints of the day. All are welcome to join us!

News and Events

Purgatory Clock Information

The Sunday after Easter is called Divine Mercy Sunday! We know God is merciful and wants all His children with Him in Heaven. Divine Mercy Sunday is a day in which you can be granted a Plenary Indulgence. This indulgence is based on the teaching that there is punishment for sin in this life and in the life to come... as an example: in this life a person may overindulge in alcohol, it can lead to relationships that are strained or broken.

That punishment is a consequence of the decision to place the use of alcohol over the personal relationships. The punishment in the next life is having to see the effects that the sin had on those around us and how our example or neglect may have caused someone close to us to follow the same path or act in anger towards another. In purgatory we see the effect of our sin on others. Purgatory is a time of purification. (Catechism Catholic Church paragraphs 1030, 1031, 1032)

We find plenary indulgences are scripturally based and it is a time when our souls are purified so that we can enter unstained into the heavenly presence. It is important to obtain the grace of a plenary indulgence when we can because this resets the timer to zero and all punishment in this life and the next are released until we do something again that warrants "time out." You are also able to "gift" your earned plenary indulgence to someone who has died. It is a good practice to obtain an indulgence at least once a year.

To acquire a plenary indulgence, for Divine Mercy, it is necessary to desire the indulgence, attend the prayer service, and perform the following three conditions: sacramental confession, Eucharistic Communion, and prayer for the intention of the Pope. It is further required that all attachment to sin, even venial sin, be absent. All the conditions must be met within a period of time, usually 8 days before or after... There are other plenary indulgences available at other times... for example those who attended the Chrism Mass could have received an indulgence if they met all the requirements. I have a book with many other opportunities for receiving a Plenary Indulgence. Feel free to ask myself or the Deacon if you would like more clarification.

Blessings on your day! Fr Chuck

Divine Mercy Hours: Adoration 2PM - 3PM
Reconciliation 2 PM - 4 PM
Chaplet and Prayers 3:00 PM

Schedules and Meetings

	April 6th - Sat. 5:00 pm	April 7th - Sun. 9:00 am	April 7th - Sun. 11:00 am	Tuesday	April 2	
Eucharistic Minister	Linda Wainright Vol. Needed	Josh Hramec Beth Demery	Maureen Storey Dale Storey	8:00 AM	Rosary	Fireplace Rm
Eucharistic Minister (Clean vessels)	Thomas Leach Don Spitzley	Katherine Hansen Jen Wilke	Curtis Winter Julie Larson	8:30 AM	Mass ~Special Intentions	Church
Minister of the Precious Blood	Carol Kempenich Dennis Kempenich Tom Holweger Patty Holweger Vol. Needed	Christina Morrison Mary Anderson Donna Martin Mary Hager Linda Schons	Jerry Matter Nancy Matter Mary Ann Nelmark Shirley Eidenschink John Schafer	9 AM - 7 PM	Adoration	Church
Lector 1 - Book of Gospels	Jean Moe	Joe Ed Knopf	John Wilke	9:30 AM	Bible Study	Fatima Room
Lector 2 - Prayer of the Faithful	James Utecht	Michael Morrison	Katherine Aligada	Noon	OA Group	Fatima Room
Altar Servers	Ben Wilke Jayden Jasken	Ava Klemm Mackenzie Klemm	Maily Aligada Reyna Aligada	1:30 PM	Card Players Group	Fireplace Rm
Cantor	Michael Moe	Vol. Needed	Eileen Mooney	5:00 PM	Women's Cursillo Meetup	Fireplace Rm
Accompanist	Heather Trowbridge	Heather Trowbridge	Heather Trowbridge	7:00 PM	Men's Cursillo Meetup	Fireplace Rm
Media Minister	David Grimsley	Debbie Carlson	Todd Kallstrom	Wednesday	April 3	
Sacristan	James Utecht	Cheryl Knopf Joe Ed Knopf	Nancy Matter	8:30 AM	Rosary	Church
Greeter / Usher	Vol. Needed x4	Michael Guetter John King Bill Quinn Michael Metelak	John Vaida Jon Larson Vol. Needed x2	9:00 AM	Mass +Thomas Fritz	Church
				9:00 AM	Quilt Group	Family Room
				10:00 AM	Coffee Club	Guadalupe Rm
				6:00 PM	Feeding the Faith	Parish Center
				6:00 PM	Faith Formation PK - 6th Grade	Assigned Rms
				6:30 PM	Faith Formation 7th - 11th Grade	Assigned Rms
				Thursday	April 4	
				Noon	Al-Anon	Fatima Room
				6:00 PM	Mass +Joseph Lorsung	Church
				6:30 PM	School Advisory Meeting	Parish Center
				Friday	April 5	
				8:00 AM	Rosary	Church
				8:30 AM	Mass +Shawn Bourdeau	Church
				10:00 AM	Mass +Rosanne Genz	Oak Crossing
				Saturday	April 6	
				4:00 PM	Reconciliation	Confessional
				5:00 PM	Mass +Reinhard & Gloria Schmitz	Church
				Sunday	April 7	
				8:00 AM	Pancake Breakfast - KOC	Parish Center
				9:00 AM	Mass +Collin Flynn	Church
				10:15 AM	Reconciliation	Confessional
				11:00 AM	Mass ~For The Parish	Church
				2 PM - 3 PM	Divine Mercy Adoration	Church
				2 PM - 4 PM	Divine Mercy Reconciliation	Church
				3:00 PM	Divine Mercy Chaplet & Prayers	Church

Children ages 4 through incoming 5th graders!
Join us for VBS, June 10-13; 9am – Noon

To register your child, go to:

- holyroarycc.org/vacation-bible-school
- Or pick up a registration form on the youth board in the Welcoming Center or at the Parish Office.

Middle School, High School students, and adults are needed to make VBS a fantastic week for our young ones!
VBS is June 10-13 from 9:00 am – Noon.

How to join in on the fun:

- ❖ Complete the online "VBS Volunteer Sign-up" form under Faith Formation tab on our parish website: holyroarycc.org
- ❖ Pick up a volunteer form at the Youth Board in the Welcoming Center or at the Parish Office.

The Annual PTO Rummage Sale
Friday, May 31st
8 AM - 3 PM

Located in St. Ben's in the Parish Center
We will be collecting donations the last week of May. So remember to keep your treasures as you are spring cleaning!

All proceeds help Holy Rosary School!

If you have any questions about the sale, contact Jerilyn Swenson at 701-238-9811

Get Your Tickets For
DINNER, COCKTAILS AND A Cause
A benefit supporting Holy Rosary School

Friday, April 26, 2024 5:30pm to 11:00pm The Barn @ Dunvilla

EARLY BIRD TICKET PRICES END ON SUNDAY, MARCH 31ST

EARLY BIRD TICKETS : \$50
TICKET PRICE APRIL 1-26 : \$75

Holy Rosary School's 2024 WISH LIST

Will You Help Us Purchase These Items?

Technology Needs for Our Classrooms

SMARTBOARDS
Approx. cost \$8,000 for 4 Boards

IPADS
Approx. cost \$3,000 for 10 iPads

Scan the QR Code on the posters in the church entrances or pick up a donation form to view additional Wish List items & to contribute.
THANK YOU for your generosity!

Doctors oppose physician-assisted suicide

The American Medical Association, American Psychiatric Association, and dozens of other medical groups oppose physician – assisted suicide. The AMA says, "Physician – assisted suicide is fundamentally incompatible with the physician's role as healer." Physicians are entrusted with saving lives, not ending them. Tell your legislators: NO assisted suicide. Visit mncatholic.org/pas

BAPTISM: If you plan to present your child for Baptism, contact Kathy Olson at: kaolson@holyroarycc.org or 218-847-1393.

RECONCILIATION: Saturdays at 4:00 pm, Sundays at 10:15 am, or by appointment.

MARRIAGE: Those wishing to celebrate the sacrament of Marriage are asked to contact Fr. Chuck at least six months prior to the intended date of the celebration.